

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN RE: NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE	:	NO. 2:12-md-2323-AB
PLAYERS' CONCUSSION INJURY	:	
LITIGATION	:	MDL No. 2323
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THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO	:	Hon. Anita B. Brody
ALL ACTIONS	:	
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ORDER

AND NOW, this 26<sup>TH</sup> day of September, 2017, upon consideration of the parties letter (ECF No. 8380), IT IS ORDERED that:

- The RD Legal Parties, the Government, and Co-Lead Case shall file via ECF no later than September 29, 2017, separate opening briefs not exceeding 15 pages each. The briefs shall be limited to the legal question of "whether the NFL Concussion Litigation settlement agreement forbids assignments of settlement benefits."
- The RD Legal Parties, the Government, and Co-Lead Counsel shall file via ECF no later than October 13, 2017, separate reply briefs addressing the legal issues raised in the opening briefs. The respective reply briefs filed by the Government and Co-Lead Class Counsel shall not exceed 10 pages each. The RD Legal Parties shall file either a single reply brief not to exceed 20 pages, or two reply briefs (separately addressing the issues raised by the Government and Co-Lead Class Counsel) not to exceed 10 pages each.
- No party shall be permitted to file a sur-reply brief.

s/Anita B. Brody

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Anita B. Brody, J.

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